

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:  
Giancarlo Tonino

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For: DISTRIBUTED SYSTEM FOR  
ISSUING OFFICIAL STAMPS  
AND/OR TITLES COMPRISING A  
PLURALITY OF SMART CARDS

Art Unit: 3685

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**AMENDMENT**

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed December 29, 2009, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper;

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 4 of this paper; and

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.

The Applicant authorizes the Commissioner to charge the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)  
for a Request for Continued Examination, to Deposit Account No. 22-0261. The Commissioner  
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